Architectural / Historical Inventory
Fitchburg

Area Survey Form C Upper Common Area

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356 - 12 Prince St.
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Area C Form 300

16 Prospect Street

FORM B - BUILDING

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
Office of the Secretary, State House, Boston

In Area no.	Form no.
C	300

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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Photo number X

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

1. Town Fitchburg, Massachusetts

Address 16 Prospect St.

Name

Present use Residence

Present owner Dr. Marshall A. Lamb

3. Description:

Date

Source Plans

Style Dutch Colonial/Shingle

Architect

Exterior wall fabric wood shingle

Outbuildings (describe) garage

Other features

Altered Yes, H.M. Francis & Sons Date

Moved Date

5. Lot size
20,400 sq. ft.
One acre or less ____ Over one acre ____

Approximate frontage 63' on Prospect St.

Approximate distance of building from street
20' from Prospect St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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7. Original owner (if known) _____

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates _____

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	x	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

This is a very attractive early 19th century house. It was altered several times. This house adds to the variety of ~~high~~ quality architecture found on this street.

This was the house of Frederick Dillon.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Area C Form 301

19 Prospect Street

FORM B - BUILDING

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
Office of the Secretary, State House, Boston

In Area no.	Form no.
C	301

1. Town Fitchburg, Massachusetts

Address 19 Prospect St.

Name Vose/Parkhill Residence

Present use Residence

Present owner Anthony C. Quatrale

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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3. Description:

Date c. 1864

Source Style (City Directory)

Style Mansard

Architect

Exterior wall fabric wood clapboard

Outbuildings (describe)

Other features granite curbs, steps

Altered Date

Moved Date

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

5. Lot size

One acre or less ____ Over one acre 15,800 sq. ft.

Approximate frontage 144' on Prospect St.

Approximate distance of building from street

10' from Prospect St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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7. Original owner (if known) William H. Vose (1808-1884)

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	x	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry	x	Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development	x	Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

This was built for William H. Vose, 5th Mayor of Fitchburg and a woolen manufacturer. After this, it was the residence of George F. Vose, son of William H. Vose, who lived here until his death in 1867. He was treasurer of the Fitchburg Woolen Mill. It was then owned by George Vose Upton who was secretary of Grant Yarn Co. He served as a councilman from Ward 3, in 1895 and 1896. Later this was the residence of John Parkhill of Parkhill Mfg. Co.

This is an excellent example of a Mansard style residence in excellent condition.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

p. 17 Fireside Legends
p. 346 Fitchburg in 1885, by A. Mason
p. 359 Fitchburg Past and Present, 1903 ed.
Sentinel, 19 January 1922
Sentinel, 8 February 1923

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Area C Form 302

22 Prospect Street

FORM B - BUILDING

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C	302

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

1. Town Fitchburg, Massachusetts

Address 22 Prospect St.

Name

Present use Residence/Parsonage

Present owner First Parish Church

3. Description:

Date 1797

Source Barbara Crocker

Style Colonial

Architect

Exterior wall fabric wood clapboard

Outbuildings (describe) attached barn

Other features picket fence

Altered Date

Moved Date

5. Lot size

One acre or less 11,555 sq. ft. Over one acre

Approximate frontage 98' on Prospect St. 102' on Arlington St.

Approximate distance of building from street 20' from Prospect St. 0'+ from Arlington St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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7. Original owner (if known) Rev. Samuel Worcester

Original use Residence/Parsonage

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Apartments

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	x
Architectural	x	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Commerce		Military		Transportation	
Communication		Political			
Community development	x				

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

This is an excellent example of a late 18th Century house in excellent condition. It is probably the oldest house on this street. This house has been connected with many prominent people of Fitchburg. Its original owner, Rev. Samuel Worcester, pastor of the First Parish Church, was a man of great abilities who became a missionary of some note. Later the house was owned by Enoch Caldwell and his son Charles H. Caldwell. In 1890, Rodney Wallace bought the house (although he never lived here). George P. Grant, Jr., treasurer of Grant's Yarn Co., lived here between 1893 to 1898. From 1900 until 1908 Arthur Warner Littlefield, paster of the First Parish Church lived here. From 1908 - 1910, Hon. M. Fred O'Connell, a well known attorney and Mayor of Fitchburg, lived here.

Rodney Wallace died in 1903 and title went to Col. George R. Wallace who in 1910 sold the house to Walter F. Stiles. Later Walter's son Richard owned the house.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

p. 128, 129 The City and the River
Sentinel, 8 February 1923
Letter from G. Gardner Cook to Robert C. Abrahson, dtd. 28 Sept. 1965

Area C Form 303

23, 25 Prospect Street

FORM B - BUILDING

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2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

1. Town Fitchburg, Massachusetts

Address 23, 25 Prospect St.

Name

Present use Residence

Present owner Ovila G. Croteau

3. Description:

Date Unknown - could be c. 1800

Source

Style mixed-colonial-colonial revival, 1880's, etc.

Architect remodeling by H.M. Francis & Sons

Exterior wall fabric wood clapboard covered with aluminum sidin

Outbuildings (describe)

Other features

Altered Yes Date

Moved Date

5. Lot size:
8,470-25 Prospect St.
8,470-23 Prospect St.
One acre or less Over one acre

Approximate frontage (25)72' on Prospect St
(23) 72' on Prospect S

Approximate distance of building from street

5' from Prospect St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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7. Original owner (if known) _____

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates _____

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	x	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Commerce		Military		Transportation	
Communication		Political			
Community development					

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

This is an attractive older home. It has had numerous remodelings. At one time, H.M. Francis and Sons designed an extensive remodeling.

In 1846 this was the home of Joe Pierce.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Sentinel, 19 June 1922
Plans with Francis Family

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Area C Form 304

30 Prospect Street

FORM B - BUILDING

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In Area no.	Form no.
C	304

1. Town Fitchburg, Massachusetts

Address 30 Prospect St.

Name Bullock Residence

Present use Residence

Present owner Richard Bullock

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3. Description:

Date 1890

Source Richard Bullock

Style Victorian

Architect Bacon ~~J.~~ Huber, Arch., Toledo, Oh

Exterior wall fabric brick (pressed)

Outbuildings (describe) garage built into hillside

Other features excellent stained glass

Altered No Date

Moved No Date

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

5. Lot size:
21,797 sq. ft.
One acre or less ____ Over one acre ____

Approximate frontage 167' on Prospect St.
183' on Arlington St.

Approximate distance of building from street
20' from Prospect St.
40' from Arlington St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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C-304

7. Original owner (if known) Brigham N. Bullock

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Same in same family

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	x	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development	x	Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

This is one of the finest Victorian houses in Fitchburg, designed by Bacon & Huber of Toledo, Ohio for Brigham N. Bullock, president of the Fitchburg National Bank and treasurer of the Fitchburg Savings Bank.

The architecture of this house, inside and out are of the highest quality.

H.M. Francis designed the granite steps and did a design for a stable.

Norcross Bros. of Worcester were the contractors for the masonry of the house.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Plans with Richard Bullock, owner
Plans with Francis Family

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Area C Form 305

31 Prospect Street

FORM B - BUILDING

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C	305

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

1. Town Fitchburg, Massachusetts

Address 31 Prospect St.

Name

Present use Residence

Present owner Ovila G. Croteau

3. Description:

Date 1880+?

Source Plans with Francis Family

Style Queen Anne

Architect Henry M. Francis

Exterior wall fabric aluminum siding

Outbuildings (describe) none

Other features

Altered Date

Moved No Date

5. Lot size:

One acre or less 14,987 sq. ft. Over one acre

Approximate frontage 146' on Prospect St.

Approximate distance of building from street

15' from Prospect St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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C-305

7. Original owner (if known) Alfred A. Marshall

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Same

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	x	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

This is an attractive Victorian house designed by Henry M. Francis. It has been aluminum sided and some trim has been removed.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Plans with Francis Family
Sentinel, 8 February 1923

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Area C Form 306

37 Prospect Street

FORM B - BUILDING

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In Area no.	Form no.
C	306

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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Photo number X

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

1. Town Fitchburg, Massachusetts

Address 37 Prospect St.

Name Henry Allison House

Present use Residence

Present owner Norman A. St. Denis

3. Description:

Date 1870

Source Plans with owner

Style Stick Style

Architect Henry M. Francis

Exterior wall fabric wood clapboard

Outbuildings (describe) none

Other features granite work, curb, ~~built~~, stairs

Altered by Francis soon ~~after construction~~ Date

Moved ~~No~~ Date

5. Lot size:

One acre or less 7668 sq. ft. Over one acre

Approximate frontage 107' on Prospect St.

Approximate distance of building from street

10' from Prospect St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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Date March 1977

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7. Original owner (if known) Henry Allison

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	x	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

This house has excellent design both inside and out. It has a fantastic front elevation. This house was designed by Henry M. Francis in 1870 for Henry Allison, president of the Safety Fund Bank. The house is in excellent condition.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Plans with owner

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Area C Form 307

40 Prospect Street

FORM B - BUILDING

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In Area no.	Form no.
C	307

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
Staple to left side of form
Photo number X

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

1. Town Fitchburg, Massachusetts

Address 40 Prospect St.

Name

Present use Residence

Present owner Patrick P. Calamare

3. Description:

Date 1940's or 50's

Source

Style 1940's or 50's Ranch

Architect

Exterior wall fabric composition shingle

Outbuildings (describe) garage (1910+)

Other features Mediterranean style Stucco Wall along street

Altered No Date

Moved No Date

5. Lot size

One acre or less 32,370 sq. ft. Over one acre

Approximate frontage 142' on Prospect St.

Approximate distance of building from street

35' from Prospect St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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C-307

7. Original owner (if known) _____

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates _____

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal	____	Conservation	____	Recreation	____
Agricultural	____	Education	____	Religion	____
Architectural	____	Exploration/ settlement	____	Science/ invention	____
The Arts	____	Industry	____	Social/ humanitarian	____
Commerce	____	Military	____	Transportation	____
Communication	____	Political	____		
Community development	____				

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

This house detracts from the character of this area. Its scale, materials and details are different. However, it has excellent landscaping and a wall which make the house difficult to see from the road.

This was the site of the George Weymouth Residence. Weymouth was the General Manager of Simonds Rolling Machine Co. It was later rebuilt in Mediterrean Style for Daniel Simonds c. 1911 and then demolished.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

p. 38, Fitchburg of To-Day, 1894

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Area C Form 308

45 Prospect Street

FORM B - BUILDING

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In Area no.	Form no.
C	308

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
Staple to left side of form
Photo number X

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

1. Town Fitchburg, Massachusetts

Address 45 Prospect Street

Name

Present use Residence

Present owner Muriel B. Delisle

3. Description:

Date c. 1860's

Source Style

Style Victorian

Architect

Exterior wall fabric Wd. Clapboard

Outbuildings (describe) None

Other features Excellent wood trim over windows

Altered Yes, tower over front door removed Date

Moved Date

5. Lot size 12,296 sq.ft.

One acre or less X Over one acre

Approximate frontage 135' on Prospect St.

Approximate distance of building from street 15' from Prospect St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

Organization Fitchburg Historical Comm.

Date March 1977

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C-308

7. Original owner (if known) Dea. L.H. Bradford

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

This is an excellent example of Victorian architecture in excellent condition. It has beautiful trim, porches and bay windows.

This was built by Dea. L.H. Bradford and occupied later by A.L. Williams. Later John H. Daniels and his family lived here.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

p. 31, Sentinel 18 June 1892
Sentinel 8 Feb. 1923

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Area C Form 309

50 Prospect Street

FORM B - BUILDING

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
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In Area no.	Form no.
C	309

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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Photo number X

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

1. Town Fitchburg, Massachusetts

Address 50 Prospect St.

Name

Present use Residence

Present owner Joe J. Shumate

3. Description:

Date C. 1910

Source

Style Turn of Century

Architect

Exterior wall fabric Alum. Siding over wood?

Outbuildings (describe) garage

Other features

Altered Yes Date

Moved Date

5. Lot size 15,984 sq. ft.

One acre or less X Over one acre

Approximate frontage 114' on Prospect St.

Approximate distance of building from street

10' from Prospect St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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7. Original owner (if known) _____

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates _____

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal	____	Conservation	____	Recreation	____
Agricultural	____	Education	____	Religion	____
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement	____	Science/ invention	____
The Arts	____				
Commerce	____	Industry	____	Social/ humanitarian	____
Communication	____	Military	____		
Community development	____	Political	____	Transportation	____

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

Although of no particular style, this house adds to the character of this area. The house has some interesting features.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

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Area C Form 310

53 Prospect Street

FORM B - BUILDING

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
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In Area no.	Form no.
C	310

1. Town Fitchburg, Massachusetts

Address 52 Prospect St.

Name Vickery Cottage

Present use Residence

Present owner Mrs. Bigelow Crocker (Barbara C. Crocker)

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
Staple to left side of form
Photo number X

3. Description:

Date 1852 or 1853

Source

Style Greek Revival w/Gingerbread Decoration

Architect

Exterior wall fabric Flush wood boards

Outbuildings (describe) none

Other features Attached Barn

Altered Date

Moved No Date

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

5. Lot size
9,910 sq.ft.
One acre or less ____ Over one acre ____

Approximate frontage 80' on Prospect St

Approximate distance of building from street

15' from Prospect St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

Organization Fitchburg Historical Comm.

Date March 1977

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE
USGS Quadrant

MHC Photo no.

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C-310

7. Original owner (if known) Gordis Harris

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

This is an excellent example of a mid 19th century cottage in excellent condition.

This was built by Gordis Harris and later bought by Dea Bradford where he lived before he built the house below. Then Wm.E. Wallace owned the house. His daughter married Charles H Vickery who was a clerk in the Fitchburg Railroad Car Shop.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Sentinel 9 Feb. 1923

Area C Form 311

56 Prospect Street

FORM B - BUILDING

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
Office of the Secretary, State House, Boston

In Area no.	Form no.
C	311

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
Staple to left side of form
Photo number X

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

1. Town Fitchburg, Massachusetts

Address 56 Prospect St.

Name Geo. R. Wallace Residence

Present use Residence

Present owner -Augusta Dion

3. Description:

Date 1887

Source Plans w/Francis family

Style Queen Anne

Architect Henry M. Francis

Exterior wall fabric Alum. siding over wd. clapboard and shingle etc

Outbuildings (describe) none

Other features Never garage under front porch

Altered _____ Date _____

Moved _____ Date _____

5. Lot size
6,777 sq.ft.

One acre or less ____ Over one acre ____

Approximate frontage 90' Prospect St. 75' Prince St.

Approximate distance of building from street
10' from Prospect St.
10' from Prince St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

Organization Fitchburg Historical Comm.

Date March 1977

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE
USGS Quadrant _____

MHC Photo no. _____

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7. Original owner (if known) George Rodney Wallace

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates _____

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry	X	Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

This was built for the residence of George Rodney Wallace, son of Rodney Wallace. George R. Wallace was born in 1850 and attended public schools and M.I.T. He became one of the proprietors of the Fitchburg paper Co. He served on Gov. Oliver Ames'' staff. Later Geo. R. Wallace, Jr. lived here for a brief period This is a good example of a Queen Anne style house and was designed by Henry N. Francis.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Henry N. Francis' plans w/ Francis family

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Area C Form 312

65 Prospect Street

FORM B - BUILDING

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In Area no.	Form no.
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2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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Photo number X

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

1. Town Fitchburg, Massachusetts

Address 65 Prospect Street

Name Rodney Wallace House

Present use Residence

Present owner Anthony Nasis

3. Description:

Date 1864, remodeled later

Source City Directory

Style Mansard

Architect H. L. Francis did remodelings

Exterior wall fabric wood clapboard

Outbuildings (describe) Barn, mansard

Other features Granite curbs and fountain, remains of greenhouses

Altered Additions Date c. 1905

Moved _____ Date _____

5. Lot size:

27,164 sq. ft.

One acre or less _____ Over one acre _____

Approximate frontage 131 ft. on Prospect St.

Approximate distance of building from street
0 ft. from Prospect St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

Organization Fitchburg Historical Comm.

Date March 1977

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USGS Quadrant _____

MHC Photo no. _____

(over)

C-312

7. Original owner (if known) Rodney Wallace

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates _____

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	x	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry	x	Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development	x	Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

This is an excellent example of a Mansard style home. It is one of the most imposing residences in the city with very elaborate interiors.

This was the residence of Rodney Wallace, one of Fitchburg's most prominent citizens and owner of Fitchburg Paper Company.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

plans with Francis family.

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Area C Form 313

75 Prospect Street

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2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

1. Town Fitchburg

Address 75 Prospect St.

Name Geo. Crocker House

Present use Residence

Present owner Applewild School

3. Description:

Date Late 1880's

Source style

Style Late shingle style

Architect ?; Lewis H. Bacon remod. 190

Exterior wall fabric Wd. Shingle & Stone

Outbuildings (describe) 4 Car Garage

Other features Granite Curbing
eyebrow windows; trim

Altered by Lewis H. Bacon Date 1905

Moved _____ Date _____

5. Lot size:

One acre or less ____ Over one acre ____ 64,073 sq. ft.

Approximate frontage 271' on Prospect St.

Approximate distance of building from street

30' from Prospect St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

Organization Fitchburg Historical Comm.

Date March 1977

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USGS Quadrant _____

MHC Photo no. _____

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7. Original owner (if known) George H. Crocker

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts		Industry	X	Social/ humanitarian	
Commerce		Military		Transportation	
Communication		Political			
Community development					

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

This is the best example of Shingle style in the city. Numerous features about the house; eyebrow windows, stone porches, leaded glass, window variation, excellent lines, etc. Occupies prominent spot on a prominent street.

Built c.1889 by George H. Crocker (of Crocker Burbank Co). and later (1922) the residence of Harlan K. Simonds.

Remodeled somewhat (in same style) by Lewis H. Bacon, 1905.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Have original plans of owner
Fitchburg Sentinel, 19 Jan. 1922

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Area C Form 314

84 Prospect Street

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4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

1. Town Fitchburg

Address 84 Prospect St.

Name Rose Mont

Present use Residence / ~~(~~Nunnery~~)~~

Present owner Venerini Sisters

3. Description:

Date c. 1917

Source style; city directory

Style Mid 1910's colonial (?)

Architect ?

Exterior wall fabric Alum. Siding

Outbuildings (describe) Barn

Other features Formal Garden, Swimming Pool

Altered Yes Date ?

Moved _____ Date _____

5. Lot size:

(2A-26,675)

One acre or less ____ Over one acre ____

Approximate frontage 300'

Approximate distance of building from street

90' set back

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

Organization Fitchburg Historical Comm.

Date March 1977

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MHC Photo no. _____

(over)

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C-314

7. Original owner (if known) Bartow Crocker

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence (Convent)

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	X
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry	X	Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

Was the site of a large Victorian mansion (built by George A. Torrey c.1871) known as Torrey's Folly, and sold to Hon. Charles Thomas Crocker. Crocker was a paper manufacturer; Alderman 1873 + 1877; Representative 1879; Senator 1880. House moved to Bond St. by John Moran C. 1916, and later torn down or burned. Present house is a 1910's- "colonial" style house, and sits on a large landscaped lot. Built for Barton Crocker.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Barbara Crocker
Fitch. Past + Present (1903); p.332
1914 Directory
Fitch. Sentinel, 8 Feb. 1923
1895 Map
Fitch. Sentinel 27 Dec. 1911
1917 City Directory

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Area C Form 315

87 Prospect Street

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1. Town Fitchburg

Address 87 Prospect St.

Name

Present use Residence

Present owner Peter G. Lehndorff

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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3. Description:

Date 1860's?; c.1910 remod.

Source style

Style Victorian modified

Architect H.M.Francis remodeled

Exterior wall fabric Wood Clapboard

Outbuildings (describe) Garage

Other features

Porch, some cornice trim.

Altered by H.M.Francis Date c.1910

Moved Date

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

5. Lot size:
6,970 sq.ft.
One acre or less ____ Over one acre ____

Approximate frontage 78' on Prospect St.

Approximate distance of building from street

15' from Prospect St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

Organization Fitchburg Historical Comm.

Date March 1977

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USGS Quadrant

MHC Photo no.

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7. Original owner (if known) _____

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Commerce		Military		Transportation	
Communication		Political			
Community development					

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

In 1904 was the home of Frederic C. Nichols, bookkeeper, then treasurer of Fitchburg Savings Bank. Originally a much smaller house, and was added on to and remodeled by H.M.Francis c.1910.

House is attractive and like most Prospect St. homes, is a visually important element of the city.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Have remod. plans w/Francis family
Fitchburg Sentinel, 8 Feb. 1923
1914 Directory

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Area C Form 316

93 Prospect Street

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2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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Photo number X

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

1. Town Fitchburg

Address 93 Prospect Street

Name -

Present use Residence

Present owner Sanford Crane

3. Description:

Date c. 1868

Source style; city directory

Style Cottage

Architect

Exterior wall fabric Wd. Clapboard

Outbuildings (describe) Garage

Other features Picket Fence

Altered _____ Date _____

Moved _____ Date _____

5. Lot size:
22,944 sq. ft.
One acre or less ____ Over one acre ____

Approximate frontage 142' on Prospect St.

Approximate distance of building from street

15' from Prospect St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

Organization Fitchburg Historical Comm.

Date March 1977

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE
USGS Quadrant _____

MHC Photo no. _____

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M-2-75-R061465 (20M-2976)

C-316

7. Original owner (if known) Eugene W. Willis

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

House built by Eugene W. Willis of S.D. Willis & Co. furniture dealers, is a simple but attractive white cottage, w/shutters and picket fence. Fairly close to Prospect St.

1st appears in 1869 directory.

In 1912 home of Roy C. Witner, secretary of Blake Pump & Condenser Co.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Fitchburg Sentinel, 8 Feb. 1923
1869 Directory

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Area C Form 317

98 Prospect Street

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1. Town Fitchburg

Address 98 Prospect Street

Name "Screwball Terrace"

Present use Residence

Present owner (George Rodney Wallace, Jr Alice G. Wallace

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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Photo number ✓, X

3. Description:

Date 1943

Source New Pencil Points

Style 1940's Modern

Architect Carl Koch

Exterior wall fabric Wood boards & stone

Outbuildings (describe) Garage

Other features Swimming Pool-
Stone wall along Street
Well landscaped w/specimen trees.

Altered No Date

Moved Date

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

5. Lot size:
4.06 A
One acre or less ____ Over one acre ____

Approximate frontage 320' on Prospect St
420' on View St.
400' on Bond St.

Approximate distance of building from street
140' from Prospect St.
90' from View St.
240' from Bond St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

Organization Fitchburg Historical Comm.

Date March 1977

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE
USGS Quadrant

MHC Photo no.

(over)

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7. Original owner (if known) George Rodney Wallace, Jr.

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry	X	Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

Contemporary house built by Carl Koch in 1943 for Geo. R. Wallace Jr., city industrialist and philanthropist (and grandson of Rodney Wallace). Replaces older "Georgian" house (built c.1900?) at #96, and #100 torn down several years ago to make room for garden extension (replaces house built by George P. Grant Jr-Shingle/Dutch Colonial). Yard is extremely well-landscaped, w/all sorts of specimen trees. House itself is made of wooden boards and stone; has mainly horizontal lines; not too visible from the street. House built on foundations of old garage.

Landscaping by Mr. Heimlich of Clinton.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

New Pencil Points; V. 24, p.36-45; Oct. 1943
1914 Directory

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Area C Form 318

103 Prospect Street

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1. Town Fitchburg

Address 103 Prospect Street

Name -

Present use Residence

Present owner Louis Dejonge

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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Photo number X

3. Description:

Date c.1860

Source Style-City directory

Style New England mid 19th century

Architect

Exterior wall fabric Wd. Clapboard

Outbuildings (describe) Garage

Other features 6-over 6 storm windows

Altered Somewhat Date ?

Moved Date

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

5. Lot size:
25,070 sq. ft.

One acre or less Over one acre

Approximate frontage 171' on Prospect St.

Approximate distance of building from street

15' from Prospect St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

Organization Fitchburg Historical Comm.

Date March 1977

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE
USGS Quadrant

MHC Photo no.

(over)

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7. Original owner (if known) Sidney D. Willis

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

Appears to have been built around 1860. Built by Sidney D. Willis, proprietor of furniture store. Bay windows and outside chimney added. House and grounds very well-kept.

First appears in 1861 directory -
Old #67 Prospect (1860's)

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Fitchburg Sentinel, 8 Feb. 1923
1861 directory

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Area C Form 319

120 Prospect Street

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2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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Photo number X

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

1. Town Fitchburg

Address 120 Prospect St. (formerly 13

Name Applewild

Present use 1 Institutional

Present owner Applewild School

3. Description:

Date 1911

Source Sentinel 10 Oct. 1956

Style Colonial,-Georgian

Architect James Purdon

Exterior wall fabric Wd. Clapboard

Outbuildings (describe) Barns, Servant Quar ters, Locker Room

Other features well-landscaped; stone-and-picket fence

Altered Yes Date c.1956;c196

Moved Yes (Page House) Date ?

5. Lot size:

One acre or less ____ Over one acre ____ (6A+34,630)

Approximate frontage 688' on Prospect St 442' on View St.

Approximate distance of building from street

200' set back - Prospect St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

Organization Fitchburg Historical Comm.

Date March 1977

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USGS Quadrant ____
MHC Photo no. ____

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7. Original owner (if known) Charles T. Crocker, Jr.

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence, shcool

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education	X	Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

"Applewild" was built for C.T. Crocker Jr. c.1911. Lived in by Crockers until 1955 or 1956, then made into a private school. Designed by James Purdon. House is a colonial-georgian revival, and is probably the most important mansion on Prospect St. (or Fitchburg). Large well-landscaped property. Additions made over the years, mostly c.1962 when classrooms were added. Numerous sturctures on the property, including the Enoch Page house, moved to View St. from Prospect St.

J. Radford Abbot - architect for renovations (1956 or 1957)

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Fitchburg Sentinel, 8 Feb. 1923
Fitchburg Sentinel, 10 Oct. 1956
Fitchburg Sentinel, 20 Dec. 1938, p.B-3
American Architect.V.117,no.2307, 10 Mar. 1920
Barbara Crocker

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Area C Form 320

145 Prospect Street

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1. Town Fitchburg

Address 145 Prospect St.

Name -

Present use Residence

Present owner Eugene J. Porter

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
Staple to left side of form
Photo number X

3. Description:

Date c.1957

Source style-city directory

Style Cape

Architect

Exterior wall fabric wide clapboard

Outbuildings (describe) none

Other features Attached garage

Altered Date

Moved Date

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

5. Lot size (1A + 6,183 sq.ft.)

One acre or less Over one acre

Approximate frontage 142' on Prospect St.

Approximate distance of building from street

180' set back

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

Organization Fitchburg Historical Comm.

Date March 1977

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USGS Quadrant

MHC Photo no.

(over)

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7. Original owner (if known) Eugene J. Porter

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal	____	Conservation	____	Recreation	____
Agricultural	____	Education	____	Religion	____
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement	____	Science/ invention	____
The Arts	____	Industry	____	Social/ humanitarian	____
Commerce	____	Military	____	Transportation	____
Communication	____	Political	____		
Community development	____				

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

A Cape-style house, built c. early 1950's, fairly well hidden from the street. On grounds of "The Knoll," once the estate of Alvah Crocker.

1st appears in 1958 directory

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

1958 Directory

Area C Form 321

149 Prospect Street

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
Office of the Secretary, State House, Boston

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1. Town Fitchburg

Address 149 Prospect St.

Name The Knoll

Present use Residence

Present owner Ruth Styler + John W. Soper (sold to Dr. Roy)

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
Staple to left side of form
Photo number X, X

3. Description:

Date 1950's-House
1895 - Barn

Source style

Style Georgian/barn-style

Architect

Exterior wall fabric Brick, clapboard/half-timber
stone and shingle

Outbuildings (describe) Barn
squash court

Other features Swimming pool
(filled in); tennis court, formal
garden

Altered _____ Date _____

Moved _____ Date _____

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

5. Lot size:

One acre or less ____ Over one acre 5.56 A

Approximate frontage 1000'± Prospect St.
1000'± Nichols St.

Approximate distance of building from street
400' set back

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

Organization Fitchburg Historical Comm.

Date March 1977

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE
USGS Quadrant _____
MHC Photo no. _____

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C-321

7. Original owner (if known) Alvah Crocker II

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry	X	Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

"The Knoll" was the estate of Alvah Crocker II, and built c.1895, as he moved in on 1 June of that year. Original mansion was shingle and stone, but was demolished c.1950's by Mrs. Willard B. Soper (Alvah's daughter). Replaced by an attractive Georgian mansion-clapboard w/brick ends. Original stables (shingle style) remain, as do squash courts (half-timber + shingle). Extremely well-landscaped, with several acres. Not visible from the street.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Barbara Crocker
City Directory 1895

Area C Form 322

269 Prospect Street

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
Office of the Secretary, State House, Boston

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1. Town Fitchburg

Address 269 Prospect St.

Name -

Present use Res./and Office

Present owner Dr. Geo. M. Walker

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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Photo number X

3. Description:

Date 1963

Source owner

Style -?-

Architect

Exterior wall fabric ?

Outbuildings (describe) none

Other features - Some stonework

Altered No Date

Moved Date

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

5. Lot size:

One acre or less ____ Over one acre 2.07A

Approximate frontage 580' on Prospect St.

Approximate distance of building from street

120' set back

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

Organization Fitchburg Historical Comm.

Date March 1977

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE
USGS Quadrant

MHC Photo no.

(over)

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7. Original owner (if known) Dr. George M. Walker

Original use Residence and office

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence and office

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Commerce		Military		Transportation	
Communication		Political			
Community development					

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

House built c.1963 on grounds of "The Knoll," once the estate of Alvah Crocker II.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

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Area C Form 323

W. S. Prospect Street

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
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2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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Photo number X

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

1. Town Fitchburg

Address W.S. Prospect St.

Name -

Present use Institutional

Present owner Applewild School

3. Description:

Date Pre 1900?

Source style

Style Shingle

Architect

Exterior wall fabric Shingle & Stone

Outbuildings (describe) Garage & Shed

Other features - -

Altered Yes Date c.1960's?

Moved Date

5. Lot size:

5A 8276 sq.ft.

One acre or less Over one acre

Approximate frontage 420' on Prospect St.

Approximate distance of building from street

100' set back

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

Organization Fitchburg Historical Comm.

Date March 1977

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE
USGS Quadrant

MHC Photo no.

(over)

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7. Original owner (if known) C.T. Crocker Jr.? or Sam'l Crocker ? or Lyon?

Original use Stable

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Stable, residence, insitutional

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education	X	Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts		Industry	X	Social/ humanitarian	
Commerce		Military		Transportation	
Communication		Political			
Community development					

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

Was probably built as a stable for C.T. Crocker Jr. Was afterwards used as residence of C.T. Crocker III, and now by Applewild as teaching/training space.

Is stone and shingle, w/some modernization (in keeping with original character). Large, tree-shaded lot.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

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Flat Rock Road

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4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

1. Town Fitchburg

Address Flat Rock Rd.

Name

Present use Residence

Present owner Mrs. Harriet Harrower

3. Description:

Date 1920's? + c.1870th century

Source Alice G. Wallace;Harriet Harrower

Style "Colonial" Revival

Architect (Carl Koch)

Exterior wall fabric Wd. Clapboard

Outbuildings (describe) Garage and shed (Greenhouse on garage

Other features -Best Garden in Fitchburg.

French windows

Altered Yes Date c.1920's

Moved Yes from Prospect St. Date c.late 1910's

5. Lot size:

One acre or less ____ Over one acre 3.18A

Approximate frontage 758' on Flat Rock Rd. 500' on Burbank St.

Approximate distance of building from street

50' from Flat Rock Road

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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7. Original owner (if known) Horace Wood?; Richard B. Lyons?; Norman Harrower?

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Commerce		Military		Transportation	
Communication		Political			
Community development					

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

House originally on Prospect Street opposite Knoll entrance built by Horace Wood, of A. Davis' Chair Shop c.1870; sold to judge E.P. Pierce, then to George P. Hitchcock (principal of Fitchburg High School) and later moved to this location and occupied by Richard B. Lyons and then Norman Harrower. In 1764 was the residence on this site of Thomas Gerry. Present house is a spectacular mansion from c.1920's which combines "Pierce" house with later additions, French windows etc; greenhouse. Its pink color (w/black shutters) make it highly visible. Attractive lines. Garden is rated best in whole Worcester County, a distinction it has held for years. One of nicest houses in town. Designed by Mrs. James Douglas Graham of Providence R.I. area. Garden

Horace Wood on Prospect Street 1st appears in 1870 directory.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Fitchburg Sentinel, 19 Jan. 1922
Barbara Crocker
Fitchburg Sentinel, 8 Feb. 1923
Fitchburg Sentinel, 3 July 1914
1923 Directory
Alice G. Wallace
Harriet Harrower
1870 City directory

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Flat Rock Road

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4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

1. Town Fitchburg

Address Flat Rock Rd.

Name Emmons Crocker House

Present use (Faculty)Residence

Present owner Applewild School

3. Description:

Date 1916

Source City Directory

Style Tudor

Architect

Exterior wall fabric Stucco & Stone, tile roof

Outbuildings (describe) Garage

Other features Porte Cochère

Stone porches; half timber

Altered No Date

Moved Date

5. Lot size:

One acre or less ____ Over one acre (3A + 28, 358 sq.ft.)

Approximate frontage 750' on Flat Rock Rd.

Approximate distance of building from street

150' set back

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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7. Original owner (if known) Emmons Crocker

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Faculty Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education	X	Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry	X	Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

An attractive, spacious Tudor-style mansion, w/tile roof, half-timber, and stone work. A porte-cochete is one of features. Large grounds surround the house, which was built c.1916 by Emmons Crocker. One of nicer homes in the city.

Now owned by Applewild School, and is used as a residence by members of the faculty.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

1916 City Directory

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Flat Rock Road

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1. Town Fitchburg

Address Flat Rock Rd.

Name -

Present use Residence

Present owner Harlan K. Simonds Jr.

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3. Description:

Date 1929

Source Owner has plans

Style Colonial Revival

Architect Edgar & Verna Cook Salomonsky

Exterior wall fabric Stone-wd.

Outbuildings (describe) none

Other features well-landscaped

Stone work exterior

Altered No Date

Moved Date

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

5. Lot size:

One acre or less ____ Over one acre 5.54A

Approximate frontage 300' on Flat Rock Rd.

Approximate distance of building from street

230' set back

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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7. Original owner (if known) Weyman S. Crocker

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry	X	Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

Was the home of Weyman S. Crocker, and ~~built~~ designed in 1929 by Edgar and Verna Cook Salomansky.

Is a spacious, attractive "Colonial" -style house, wood with stone. Well-manicured grounds.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Owner has original plans.

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Flat Rock Road

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2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

1. Town Fitchburg

Address Flat Rock Rd.

Name - (Crocker House)

Present use Residence

Present owner Henry A. Burnham

3. Description:

Date c.1959?

Source style - City directory

Style Cape

Architect

Exterior wall fabric Wd. Clapboard

Outbuildings (describe) attached garage

Other features -

Altered Date

Moved Date

5. Lot size:

One acre or less ____ Over one acre 1.12A

Approximate frontage 230' on Flat Rock Rd 300' on Caldwell St.

Approximate distance of building from street

100' from Flat Rock Rd.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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7. Original owner (if known) Alvah Crocker IV

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

Cape-style cottage built around 1959 for Alvah Crocker IV and his wife, the former Nancy Lowe. Surrounded by wooded lot.

1st appears in 1959 Directory

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

1959 Directory

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54 View Street

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1. Town Fitchburg

Address 54 View St.

Name -

Present use Residence

Present owner Applewild School Inc.

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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Photo number V

3. Description:

Date 1895

Source 1895 City Directory

Style Shingle Style

Architect ?? H.M.Francis ??

Exterior wall fabric Wd. Shingle

Outbuildings (describe) Garage

Other features -

Altered No Date

Moved Date

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

5. Lot size:
15,332 sq.ft.
One acre or less ____ Over one acre ____

Approximate frontage 110' on View St.

Approximate distance of building from street

40' from View St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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7. Original owner (if known) John G. Faxon

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

Built for John G. Faxon, correspondent for Boston Herald & reporter for Fitchburg Sentinel. Moved into his house 1 May, 1895.

Shingle-style house, on fairly steep lot
Attractive.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

1895 City Directory

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60 View Street

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1. Town Fitchburg

Address 60 View St.

Name

Present use Residence

Present owner Alice Addante

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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3. Description:

Date 1900

Source have orig. plans

Style Shingle

Architect Henry M. Francis

Exterior wall fabric Wood Shingle and stone

Outbuildings (describe) Garage

Other features Tower

Stone porches

Altered Porch enclosed Date? 1950's or 60'.

Moved Date

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

5. Lot size:
16,928 sq. ft.

One acre or less Over one acre

Approximate frontage 105' on View St.

Approximate distance of building from street

25' from View St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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7. Original owner (if known) Herbert E. Jennison

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry	X	Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

Built for Herbert E. Jennison in 1900. Ran Jennison Plumbing Co., an important city industry at the time. Henry M. Francis designed shingle-style house, w/stone porches, tower (with balcony) etc.
Nice lines.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Have original plans w/Francis Family

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71 View Street

FORM B - BUILDING

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1. Town Fitchburg

Address 71 View St.

Name Alonzo Davis House

Present use Residence

Present owner Applewild School Inc.

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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Photo number V

3. Description:

Date 1860

Source Fitch. Sentinel, 8 Feb. 1923

Style Italianate

Architect

Exterior wall fabric Wd. Clapboard

Outbuildings (describe) Barn

Other features Used to dominate hillside when viewed from Main St. (now trees block)

Altered No Date

Moved Date

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

5. Lot size:

One acre or less ____ Over one acre 52,818 sq. ft.

Approximate frontage 194' on View St.

Approximate distance of building from street

90' from View St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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7. Original owner (if known) Alonzo Davis

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry	X	Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political	X	Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

Attractive Italianate house, white w/black shutters. Barn on property. Was residence of Hon. Alonzo Davis (1817-1888), for 32 years a chair manufacturer in Fitchburg, and 8th mayor of the city. His son was Walter A. Davis, city clerk. This house used to dominate the view from Upper Common, but trees now hide the view.

1st appears 1860 directory

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Fitchburg Sentinel, 18 June 1892, p.6,p.3
Fitchburg Sentinel, 8 Feb. 1923

1860 directory

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81 View Street

FORM B - BUILDING

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1. Town Fitchburg

Address 81 View St.

Name -

Present use Residence

Present owner Barbara Crocker

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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Photo number V

3. Description:

Date 1854

Source Barbara Crocker

Style Cottage

Architect Edward Atkinson-builder

Exterior wall fabric Wd. Clapboard

Outbuildings (describe) Garage, gazebo

Other features -3 paned windows.

Altered Yes Date ?

Moved From 75 Prospect St. c. 1889 to Prospect St. N of view from 2nd to present c. 1912 Date

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

5. Lot size:

One acre or less ____ Over one acre 136,492 sq. ft.

Approximate frontage 200' on View St.

Approximate distance of building from street

100' set back

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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Date March 1977

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7. Original owner (if known) Edward Atkinson

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Commerce		Military		Transportation	
Communication		Political			
Community development					

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

This rambling house was originally much smaller when built by Edward Atkinson, of Atkinson Wilson (painters) in 1854. It stood near the site of 75 Prospect St. and was moved up to the other side of the street just below the "Horace Wood Place," above the Derby House (near the present "Applewild" (c.1889). Around 1912 it was moved to its present location to make room for Applewild. The Rev. William P. Tilden of the Unitarian Church (1855-1862) lived here as well as N.H. Richardson's family (Dr. Maurice Richardson, Dr. Mark Richardson, Mr. E.P. Miller). This house has unusual 3-paned windows, characteristic of the 1850's, as well as attractive porches and wings. A gazebo from the Mason estate "Laurel Hill" graces the property. Is on a private street, hence is not visible to the public. ~~Is on a private street, hence is not visible to the public.~~ Abundantly landscaped, with a nice view of the city and the valley beyond.

Edward Atkinson 1st appears on Prospect St. in 1855.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Story of 3-paned windows in Fitchburg-by Barbara Crocker 1953-1954.
Fitchburg Sentinel 8 Feb. 1923
Barbara C. Crocker
1855 directory

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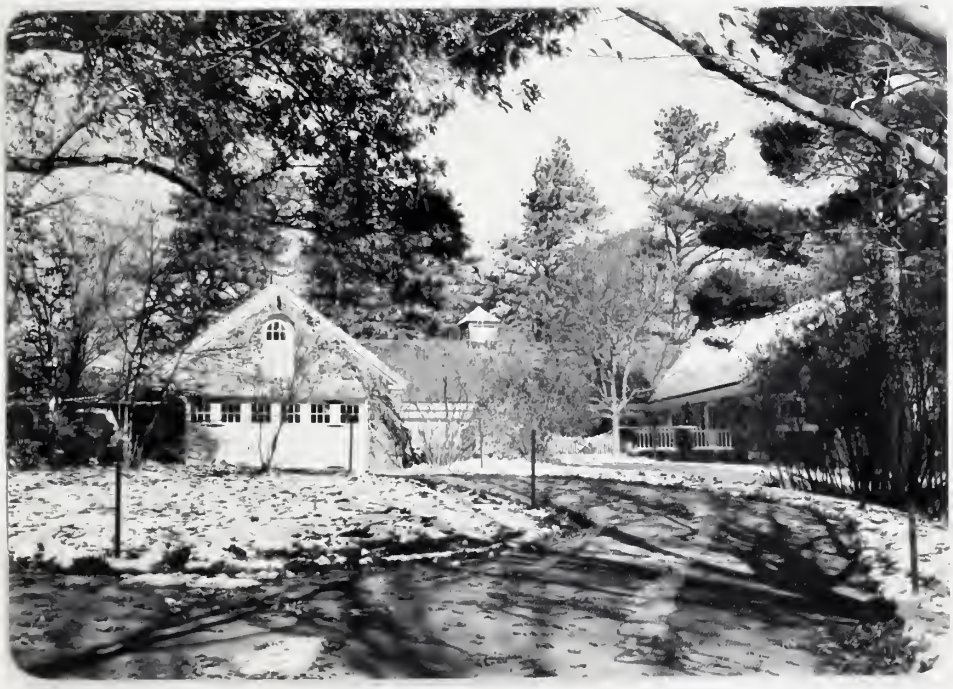
86 View Street



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1. Town Fitchburg

Address 86 View St.

Name -

Present use Residence

Present owner Chas. T. Crocker III

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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3. Description:

Date 1925

Source Charles T. Crocker III

Style "Colonial"- Bucks Country

Architect James Purdon

Exterior wall fabric Field Stone (some wood)

Outbuildings (describe) Stable (excellent)

Other features - wood building well-landscaped - french doors

Altered Part demolished Date 1960's

Moved _____ Date _____

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

5. Lot size:

One acre or less ____ Over one acre 12.3A

Approximate frontage 200' on View St.

Approximate distance of building from street 150' set back

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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7. Original owner (if known) Charles T. Crocker III

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

Unusual stone mansion, similar to Bucks County architecture, in a beautiful wooded area, with much landscaping. Part of bldg. demolished in 1960's. On private way, so not visible to the public.

Designed by architect James Purdon in 1925.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Charles Thomas Crocker III

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91 View Street

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1. Town Fitchburg

Address 91 View St.

Name -

Present use Residence

Present owner Rosemary Kemp

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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3. Description:

Date 1890's

Source Have orig. plans

Style "Colonial" Revival

Architect H.M. Francis Remod.

Exterior wall fabric Wd. Clapboard

Outbuildings (describe) Stables

Other features palladian (?) window porches

Altered by H.M.FRANCIS Date ?

Moved Twice Date ?

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

5. Lot size:
24,720 sq.ft.
One acre or less ____ Over one acre ____

Approximate frontage 160' on View St.

Approximate distance of building from street

110' set back

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

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7. Original owner (if known) _____

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal	____	Conservation	____	Recreation	____
Agricultural	____	Education	____	Religion	____
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement	____	Science/ invention	____
The Arts	____				
Commerce	____	Industry	____	Social/ humanitarian	____
Communication	____	Military	____		
Community development	____	Political	____	Transportation	____

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

Original house much smaller, added on to by H.M.Francis c.1905 and remodeled. Colonial Revival style on private way, and is thus not visible to the public. Moved from Prospect St. c.1910's.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

Original plans with Francis family.

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10 Arlington Street

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1. Town Fitchburg

Address 10 Arlington St.

Name -

Present use Residence

Present owner Stanley M. Kazogles

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
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3. Description:

Date c.1946

Source style city directory

Style Cape Cod

Architect

Exterior wall fabric Wood clapboard

Outbuildings (describe) attached garage

Other features White picket fence

Altered No Date

Moved Date

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.

5. Lot size:
8,745 sq.ft.
One acre or less ____ Over one acre ____

Approximate frontage 88' on Arlington St.

Approximate distance of building from street

15' from Arlington St.

6. Recorded by Bill Chittick and Frank Garretson

Organization Fitchburg Historical Comm.

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7. Original owner (if known) Carl H. Hedstrom

Original use Residence

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates Residence

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal		Conservation		Recreation	
Agricultural		Education		Religion	
Architectural	X	Exploration/ settlement		Science/ invention	
The Arts					
Commerce		Industry		Social/ humanitarian	
Communication		Military			
Community development		Political		Transportation	

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

A simple but attractive Cape Cod-style house, white with green shutters, and a white picket fence in front.

Built for Carl H. Hedstrom - chairman of the board of Hedstrom-Union Co.

Appears in 1947 directory
(1946 directory missing)

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

1947 directory